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 Applicant(s) : Peter WEIGEL et al.  
 Title: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF NON-WOVENS, NON-WOVENS, AND  
 USE THEREOF

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**  
**UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371**  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated April 2, 2007:

- ☒ Attached is a Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.53 along with the late filing surcharge of 130.00
- ☒ Applicant(s) include an executed assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet with the recordation fee of \$40.00 (Check No. 39359).
- ☒ Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a period of one/two/three/four/five month(s) along with the fee of
- ☐ Applicant(s) are entitled to small entity status.
- ☐ Attached is a verified English translation of the PCT publication along with the fee of \$130.00.
- ☒ Attached is a Preliminary Amendment eliminating multiple dependent claims and the need for extra claims fees.
- ☐ Applicant(s) include the extra claims fee of \$            for            claims in excess of 20 per additional claim, for            independent claims in excess of 3 per additional claim, and/or            for multiple dependent claims.

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